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Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications & Energy
One South Station, 2nd Floor
Boston, Massachusetts 02110

Re: Cambridge Electric Light Company/ Commonwealth Electric Company
D.T.E. 00-83

Dear Madam Secretary:

Cambridge Electric Light Company and Commonwealth Electric Company (the "Companies") are pleased to supply their responses to the information requests listed on the attached sheet.

Sincerely,

John Cope-Flanagan

Enclosures

cc: Caroline M. O'Brien, Hearing Officer
Jeffrey Hall, Rates and Revenue Requirements Division (7 copies)
Joseph Rogers, Assistant Attorney General
Robert N. Werlin, Esq.
Service List D.T.E. 00-83

Responses to Information Requests

DTE-5-7

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**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY**

Cambridge Electric Light Company)
Commonwealth Electric Company)

D.T.E. 00-83

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing responses to information requests in accordance with Department rules.


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DATED: March 11, 2002

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Please refer to COM-BKR-1 and CAM-BKR-1 at 12, Line 14. Please clarify if Line 14 is derived by L7 minus L12, as opposed to L7 minus L10, as is depicted.

Response

Exhibit CAM-BKR-1, Page 12, Line 14 is derived from subtracting Line 12 from Line 7. Exhibit COM-BKR-1, Page 12, Line 16 is derived from subtracting Line 14 from Line 9.